## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Alexander Gaiger et al.

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DIAGNOSIS AND THERAPY OF HEMATOLOGICAL

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## RESPONSE/AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.114

## Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated May 31, 2006, please extend the period of time for response three months, to expire on November 30, 2006. A Petition for Extension of Time for one month was previously filed and paid for on October 2, 2006. Accordingly, Applicants herewith submit payment of the requisite fee for an additional two-month extension.

Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.